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STATE FOR ISN/RA: JODY DANIEL AND ARIEL STUKALIN

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SUBJECT: MIDDLE EAST ISSUES IN IAEA GENERAL CONFERENCE:
ALGERIA

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Classified By: David D. Pearce, Ambassador. Reason 1.4 (b), (d).

(C) Pol/Econ Chief delivered reftel points September 13 to Hamza Khelif, Deputy Director for Disarmament in the Office of Security and Disarmament Affairs. Khelif referred to UNSC resolution 487 of 1981, which he claimed called for the denuclearization of the Middle East. Saying he would pass our concerns to his superiors, Khelif affirmed that the Algerian delegation would approach the IAEA General Conference in consultation with all other IAEA member countries, especially the ''Arab Group.''

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